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5th January, 2022

Dear Madam/Sir,

Please refer to my DO letter of even number 14th July, 2021 regarding the importance of Own Sources Revenue (OSR) generations by Rural Local Bodies (RLBs) and various measures that have been taken in the past by Ministry of Panchayati Raj through its advocacies / various initiatives involving States for enhancements of RLBs' OSR for making them self-sufficient for various mandated developmental activities. Vide this letter (copy enclosed), it was intimated that a virtual Conference on Own Source of Revenue of Rural Local Bodies have been planned by MoPR and towards this, the State was requested to provide following information:

- (i) A write-up in approx. 1500 words on the status of OSR efforts of RLBs in your State as well as its augmentation in the last 5 years.
- (ii) Two Case Studies of RLBs including Gram Panchayat, Block/Intermediate Panchayat and District/Zila Panchayat which have carried out exemplary and innovative initiatives towards diversification and enhancement of OSRs at their respective levels.
- (iii) Copy of the PPT presentation on various OSR initiatives by the State.
- (iv) A Video of 2-3 minutes on success stories on OSR generation by the State's RLBs.

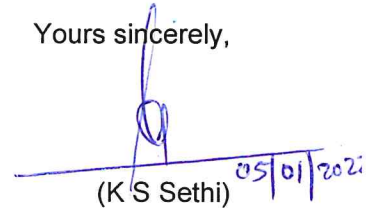
However, above information sought from the State has not yet been received in the Ministry. In continuation of the above, it is intimated that MoPR has been celebrating Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav and organizing various events, workshops, meetings in participations of various stakeholders viz Central Ministries, State Governments, RLBs. Recently, a National Webinar on Atma nirbhar Panchayats-Role of Technology, Entrepreneurship and Harnessing Energy in Achieving Self-reliance for Sustainable Developments was organized by MoPR on 20th December, 2021 with participation of Line Ministries, States Panchayati Raj Departments, SIRDs, IITs etc.

In keeping with the above initiatives, MoPR will also be organizing a **Mega Event: MoPR's Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav Iconic Week (11-17 April 2022)**, and it has been, inter alia, planned that States having good OSR generation, may during the Iconic Week (11-17 April 2022) make PPT presentations on various OSR initiatives along with case studies of RLBs (Gram Panchayat/Intermediate and District Panchayat levels) which have carried out exemplary and innovative initiatives towards OSR diversification & enhancement and; a Video of 2-3 minutes on OSR generation success stories etc.

Hence, in view of the significance of MoPR's Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav Iconic Week (11-17 April 2022), it is requested that the information aforementioned at Point (i) to (iv) may please be expedited to this Ministry by 15th January, 2022.

With Warm Regards,

Yours sincerely,


(K.S. Sethi) 05/01/2022

Encl: As above.

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